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In re Application of:)	
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For: Methods for Protein Analyses and)	
Protein Expression in Multicellular)	
Organisms and Cells Therefrom)	

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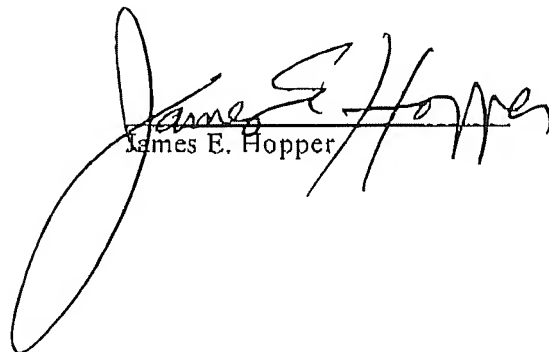
I, James E. Hopper, residing at 840 Old Woods Road
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hereby declare:

1. I am an original and joint inventor of the subject matter in the above-captioned United States Patent Application.
2. I am an original and joint inventor of the subject matter in the United States Patent No. 6,878,524, issued on April 29, 2005, and entitled, "Reagents and methods for detection and characterization of protein-protein interactions, nuclear export and localization sequences and inducible Gal4p-mediated gene expression in yeast."
3. Any invention disclosed but not claimed in United States Patent No. 6,878,524 that is claimed in the above-captioned U.S. patent application was invented by the inventors named in U.S. Patent No. 6,878,524.

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